



Patent
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Jorge L. Acosta

Serial No.: 10/606,119

Filed: June 24, 2003

For: DENSE PATTERN OPTICAL SCANNER

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) **Group Art Unit: 2876**
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) **Examiner: Not Yet Assigned**
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER - PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing in connection with the application identified above are the following documents.

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement
- ☒ PTO-1449 (with only copies of references AZ, BA, CA, and DA)
- ☒ Return receipt postcard

☐ Applicant(s) petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR § 1.136 [fees: 37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1)-(5)] for the total number of months checked below:

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April 13, 2004
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EXTENSION (months)	FEE FOR SMALL ENTITY	FEE FOR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY
<input type="checkbox"/> one month	\$55.00	\$110.00
<input type="checkbox"/> two months	\$210.00	\$420.00
<input type="checkbox"/> three months	\$475.00	\$950.00
<input type="checkbox"/> four months	\$740.00	\$1,480.00
<input type="checkbox"/> five months	\$1,005.00	\$2,010.00
		\$0.00

FEES FOR CLAIMS

Total Claims	17	-	20	=	0	x	\$18.00	\$18.00
Independent Claims	4	-	3	=	1	x	\$86.00	\$86.00
TOTAL OF ABOVE CALCULATIONS								\$86.00
Extension of Time (from above)								\$0.00
Surcharge for Late Filing of Oath or Declaration								\$0.00
Misc. Filing Fees (Recordation of Assignment -- \$40)								\$
TOTAL FEES SUBMITTED HEREWITH								\$86.00

- ☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.
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- ☒ The Commissioner is authorized to charge PSC's Deposit Account No. 13-4953 for any fees which may be required that are not covered.¹

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: April 13, 2004

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Sir:

Please amend the application identified above as follows.

Amendments to the Specification commence at page 2;

Listing of claim amendments commence at page 4 in which
claims 1-20 are canceled and new claims 21-37 are added.

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